

JUDGE RICARDO S. MARTINEZ

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

CHRISTOPHER JAMES McLAUGHRY,

Defendant.

CASE NO. CR 06-114 RSM

ORDER

This Court having considered the stipulation of the parties hereby GRANTS the parties' request for a continuance of the trial date and pre-trial motions cutoff date. Defendant Christopher James McLaughry indicated his knowing, voluntary, and intelligent waiver of his rights to a speedy trial by executing a written waiver of his right to a speedy trial through March 5, 2007.

In view of the parties' agreement to continue the trial date and pre-trial motion cutoff date, for the reasons stated in their stipulation, the defendants' knowing, voluntary, and intelligent waiver or anticipated waiver of his right to a speedy trial, the parties' desire to continue to engage in plea discussions, the complexity of the case, and the interest of the public in ensuring the accused adequate, effective, and continued representation by counsel presently assigned, this Court finds that the ends of justice served by granting a continuance outweighs the best interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial.

1 The parties motion for continuance is GRANTED. Trial is reset for February 26,  
2 2007, and all pre-trial motions shall be served on or before January 12, 2007. The time  
3 from the filing of the stipulated motion through the new trial date shall be excludable  
4 under the Speedy Trial Act, Title 18, United States Code, Section 3161(h)(8)(A).

5  
6 Dated this 4 day of December 2006.

7  
8 

9  
10 RICARDO S. MARTINEZ  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

11 Presented by:

12 s/ John J. Lulejian  
13 JOHN J. LULEJIAN  
14 Assistant United States Attorney  
United States Attorney's Office  
15 700 Union Street, Suite 5220  
Seattle, Washington 98101-1270  
Telephone: (206) 553-7970  
Facsimile: (206) 553-4440  
16 E-mail: John.Lulejian@usdoj.gov